

WHEREAS, Doubts exist as to the legality of said proceedings of said town council in vacating said alley; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Legalizing
clause.

SECTION 1. That the action of said town council in vacating said alley is hereby legalized, and made binding and valid to all intents and purposes.

Publication.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Adams County Gazette, a newspaper published at Corning, Adams county, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved, March 15, 1880.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register*, March 19, 1880, and *Adams County Gazette*, March 24, 1880.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 42.

LEGALIZING KEOKUK WATER-WORKS.

Sub. S. F. 272. AN ACT to Legalize the acts of the Keokuk Water-works, of Keokuk, Iowa.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, The Keokuk Water-works, a corporation established under the incorporation law of the state of Iowa, did cause *the* [its] articles of incorporation to be recorded in the office of recorder of deeds, for the county of Lee, Iowa, in book 1, page 464, on the 8th day of June, 1877, and also in the office of the secretary of state, in book "H," on pages 598, 599, 600, and 601, on the 8th day of August, 1877, but inadvertently omitted to publish said articles of incorporation for four weeks, in some newspaper as required by law; therefore,

Failed to pub-
lish articles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Legalizing
clause.

SECTION 1. That all acts done, and contracts made by said Keokuk Water-works, are hereby declared legal, valid, and binding to the same extent as if said articles of incorporation had been published according to law, and the incorporation of said Keokuk Water-works is hereby declared legal, valid, and binding to the same extent as if the law had been fully complied with in the publication of the articles of incorporation.

Publication.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Leader, a newspaper published at Des Moines, and the

Keokuk Constitution, a newspaper published at Keokuk, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved, March 15, 1880.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Leader*, March 22, 1880, and *Keokuk Constitution*, March 19, 1880.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State*.

CHAPTER 43.

INCORPORATION OF ANITA LEGALIZED.

AN ACT to Legalize the Incorporation of the Town of Anita, Cass S. F. 179.
county, Iowa, the election of its Officers, and all Acts done, and
Ordinances passed by the Council of said Town.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the incor- Preamble.
poration of the town of Anita, in Cass county, Iowa, the elec-
tion of its officers, and the ordinances passed by the council of
said town; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of said town of Anita Legalizing
Cass county, Iowa, the election of its officers, and all the official
acts done and ordinances passed by the council of said town, not
in contravention with the laws of the state, are hereby legalized,
and the same are hereby declared to be valid and binding, the
same as though the law had in all respects been strictly com-
plied with in the incorporation of said town, and in the election
of its officers. clause.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall Publication.
be in force and take effect from and after its publication in the
Iowa State Register, and the *Anita Times*, newspapers published
at Des Moines, and Anita, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved, March 15, 1880.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register*, March 19, 1880, and the *Anita Times*, March 24, 1880.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State*.